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Filed : March 4, 1999  
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U.S. Patent Documents

5,585,866	Miller et al.	12/17/1996
5,805,763	Lawler et al.	09/08/1998
6,014,184	Knee et al.	01/11/2000
6,324,338	Wood et al.	11/27/2001
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PCT	WO 98/47283	10/22/1998
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PCT	WO 00/16548	03/23/2000

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Consideration of the foregoing in relation to  
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Respectfully submitted,



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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(d)(2), applicant has enclosed a check in the amount of \$180.00 in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p). The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with this Statement, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this letter is transmitted herewith.

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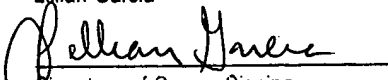
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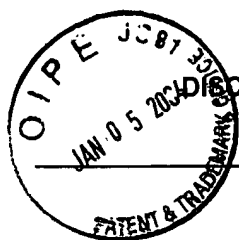
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